DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, avare, thogari and horsegram are being harvested in all parts of the district. Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Dodballapur, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that 'Black-quarter' is prevailing in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Closepet Taluks, and 'Rinderpest' in Rupena Agrahara in Bangalore Taluk and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, sugarcane, groundnut, bengalgram, giddaragi, potatoes and jola are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Paddy in parts of Bowringpet and Srinivaspur Taluks and sugarcane in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, avare, thogari, horsegram and bengalgram.
Sugarcane milling in Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur. Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Generally good except for Plague in Hunasenahalli, Desahalli and Magondi Villages in Bowringpet Taluk; in some villages of Kasaba, Kaivara and Ambajidurga Hoblis in Chintamani Taluk, in some villages in Mulbagal Taluk; in most of the villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk; Patrenhalli, Kariganapalya, Sulikunte, Ramapatna, Kammalanahalli, Chiknagavalli, Posettihalli, Doddamarali, Kadaseegenahalli and Keswara villages in Chikballapur Taluk; and Chikballapur Town; Gowdagere and surrounding villages in Goribidnur Taluk; in parts of Malur Taluk; Yeldur, Ronoor and surrounding villages in Srinivaspur Taluk. It is also reported that Malarial fever is prevailing in most of the villages in Mulbagal Taluk and small-pox at Jangamakote, Sidlaghatta Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the diseases.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for sheep-pox at Kuppahalli Village in Chikallapur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Transplantation of paddy in Chiknaikanhalli, Pavagada and Koratagere Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Turvekere, Koratagere and parts of Chiknaikanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; Horsegram in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; jola in Madhugiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi and Koratagere Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Sira, Gubbi, Kunigal and Turvekere Taluks; horsegram in Pavagada and Gubbi Taluks; bengalgram in Koratagere and Chiknaikanhalli Taluks, ragi in Chiknaikanhalli and Turvekere Taluks; jola and sajje in Chiknaikanhalli; Castor in Turvekere Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are generally available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalance of 'Black-quarter' in a village in each of Tumkur and Tiptur Taluks and Rinderpest in a village of Turvekere. Necessary remedial measures are being taken by the Veterinary Inspectors concerned.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Such as thogari, sugarcane, mulberry, paddy, tobacco bengalgram and avare are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and horsegram in Mysore and Hunsur Taluks; paddy, ragi and horsegram in Chamarajnagar Taluk; bengalgram in T.-Narsipur Taluk; sugarcane in Malvalli, Mandya, Krishnarjpet Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks. Paddy in parts of Krishnarajpet Taluk; bengalgram, and coriander in Nagamangala Taluk; paddy, coriander and ragi in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except in some parts of Nagamangala Taluk, where it is reported that sheep-pox is prevailing and that the Veterinary Department has been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; bengalgram, car-paddy, menthya and sambar in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Chennaraya-patna and Arsikere Taluks; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; sugarcane in the Chennarayapatna Taluk; horsegram, gingelly, avare, greengram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.
No signs of famine.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks of the district except in some parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk where it is reported that sheep-pox is prevailing and that the Veterinary Inspector has been addressed in the matter.
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8 Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane is being planted in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as sugarcane, wheat, cotton, blackgram and greengram in several parts of the district are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, and sugarcane in the taluks of Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi Sub-Taluk: ragi and horsegram in Shikarpur Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; cotton in the taluks of Chennagiri and Honnali; wheat in Chennagiri Taluk are being harvested. Sugarcane milling in Shimoga and Sagar Taluks are in progress.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Food grains are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Fodder and water are available for the cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, kadale, avare, jola, coffee are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Avare in Kadur Taluk; paddy, ragi, jola in Tarikere Taluk; sugarcane in Koppa Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. 1. Cattle are generally healthy.

2. It is reported that Rinderpest in Lingadahalli Village, Tarikere Taluk; Foot and Mouth disease in Eswarahalli Village, Chikmagalur Taluk; Chapperoga in Bukkambudi Village, Tarikere Taluk; Rinderpest in Balur Estate, Mudigere Taluk, are prevailing. Prevalence of Rinderpest in a few villages of Kasaba Hobli, Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk, has not yet subsided. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

3. Water and fodder are available to cattle throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplanting of paddy and sowing of groundnut and sugarcane are reported to be going on in channel area of Hiriyur Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fairly good condition and reported to be withering for want of rain in Hiriyur Taluk except in channel area and in Davangere Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Hiriyur Taluk; ragi, navane, bengalgram and horsegram in Holalkere Taluk, sugarcane in Davangere Taluk; bilijola and cotton in Molakalmuru Taluk; bengalgram in Jagalur Taluk, bilijola in Hosadurga Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are generally available throughout the district.

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Revenue Commissioner.

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